**Utilization of funds by Madarsas**

2798. SHRI TARIQ ANWAR: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Madarsas in the country, State-wise;

(b) the funds allocated to them during the last four years, State-wise; and

(c) whether the funds allocated by the Central Government are properly utilized by the State Governments?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI D. PURANDESWARI): (a) The information regarding number of Madarsas in the States/Union Territories is not maintained centrally.

(b) Funds allocated to various States/UT's under Madarsas Modernisation Programme during the last 4 years are given in enclosed Statement (*See* below).

(c) The funds under the programme are released to States/UTs, which in turn release the funds to the individual Madarsas and submit the Utilization Certificate.

***Statement***

*Details of funds allocated to various States/UTs under Madarsas Modernization Programme during last 4 years*

(Amount Rs. in Lakhs)

| Name of State/UT | 2004-05 | 2005-06 | 2006-07 | 2007-08 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Andhra Pradesh | – | 35.20 | 48.60 | 48.60 |
| Bihar | – | 79.92 | – | 79.92 |
| Orissa | – | – | 12.6 | – |
| M.P. | 421.56 | 384 | 287.69 | 75.11 |
| Maharashtra | – | 3.16 | – | – |
| Kerala | – | 59.04 | 338.91 | – |
| Tripura | 45.72 | 45.72 | 45.72 | 45.72 |
| U.P. | – | 235.25 | 2481.96 | 3010.54 |
| Tamil Nadu | 0.72 | – | – | – |
| Chandigarh | 0.72 | – | 0.72 | – |
| Chhattisgarh | – | – | 242.92 | – |
| Karnataka | – | – | 77.41 | – |
| Uttaranchal | – | – | 109.03 | – |